JEROLOMAN PLAYS CZAR.

BUT FOR HIM THE REPUBLICANS WIGHT HAVE LOST CONTROL.

rate May Yet Redistrict the City if the O'lirienties Follow Yesterday's Pre-erdent Motion to Classify the Presiding officer Among Large Stuffed Persons. The Aldermen got into a tangle yesterday in which the Republicans found themselves rethe two O'Brienites, Dwyer and Schilling,

peatedly in a ininority, owing to the defection who have heretofore voted with them. There are fourteen Republicans in the Board, fourteen Tammany men, two O'Brienites, and one Grace pocrat, President Jeroloman. In organizing the Board the Republicans had the support of the three anti-Tammany Democrats, Yesterday the O'Brienites repeatedly voted against their former allies. President Jeroloman stuck to them, however, and it was his action alone that prevented the Republicans from losing control of the Committee on County Affairs, which is now engaged in redistricting the city.

As constituted at present, the committee consists of Aldermen Hall, Ware, and Olcott, Republicans: Oakley, Tammany, and Dwyer, President Jeroloman, Grace, is a member ex-officio. Some time ago it was agreed between the Republican and Tammany leaders that the committee should be increased to seven n order that Alderman Lautry (Tam.) might have a place on it. He had been inadvertently left off all the important committees, and the preposed change was not intended to affect the political complexion of the committee. The Republicans, however, got into a wrangle over their additional member. The contest was between Vice-President Windolph and Alderman Goodman. In consequence of this state of affairs President Jeroloman found it impossible to get a meeting of the Committee on Rules, to which the matter had been referred. This committee consists of the President: Alderman Brown, Tammany, and Aldermen Goodman, Windolph, and Hall, Republicans. The two disputants being members the committee, the Republican members would not meet with their colleagues until the dispute had been settled. Yesterday President Jeroloman and Alderman Brown decided to make a minority report in order to bring the matter before the Board. Their report provided merely for the addition of Alderman Lantry (Tammany) to the committee, the understanding being that the Republicans would have a chance to amend it by moving the addition of either Alderman Windolph or Alderman Good-

The Republicans thought they saw in the re port a scheme to change the complexion of the committee, reducing their representation to one half irrespective of President Jeroloman's vote Alderman Marshall (Rep.) denounced the report

as irregular. The rhetorical Mr. Goodman then took the floor.

"This report," he said. "is an attempt to seize control of the Committee on County Affairs and gerrymander the city. If this is to be the beginning of a political warfare in the Board, I am prepared for it. If justice to the people is to be disregarded for the sake of political advantage, I am ready for the light from now on. If there is to be a gerrymander, I want it understood that I am deadly opposed to it. [Derlsive laughter on the Bemocratic side.] There is no disposition on this side of the chamber to make any gerrymander. All we want is a fair, equitable apportionment."

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President Jereloman—In order to shorten this discussion I will say that I signed the report under a misspeprelicasion. I thought it provided for two additional members.

Alderman Oakley (Tam.)—The members of this Board know very well that we have a very narrow markin to work on in respontioning the city, under the provisions of the new constitution. Gerrymandering can't be done to any great extent by anybody. Our only wish in the committee has been to satisfy everybody and make a unanimous report. There has never been any impression or even any thought of gerrymandering. Mr. Goodman's play to the galleries is entirely uncalled for.

Alderman Hall (Rep.)—I want to say that I am a member of the committee from which this report purports to come, and I have never heard of it until it was presented. Two other members of the committee never heard of it. This action of the President and Alderman Brown is an outrage. They have disgraced both themselves and this Board. The action is discourteous in the sextreme to the other members of the committee. It is disgraceful and outrageous.

While Alderman Hall was saying this President Jeroloman kept declaring his remarks out of order and endeavored to stop him.

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Alderma Olcott, the Republican leader, tried to pour oil. He said he didn't believe anybody wanted to make a gerrymander. Anyway, it would be impossible to do so. "In the second blace," he added, "I do not believe that Mr. Oakley would attempt, or join in any attempt, to make anything but a perfectly fair apportionment. In the meetings of the Committee on County Affairs I have been impressed with Mr. Oakley's fairness, and I have as much confidence in it as I have in that of my Republican brethen."

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Mr. Olcott then moved that the matter be recommitted to the Committee on Rules. The
motion was lost 15 to 16. President Jersdoman
voted with the Republicans and the two O'Brienlies with the Democrats.

President Jeroloman—I desire to announce
that I have now erased my name from the report, which I shread under a misanural ension. port, which I signed under a misapprehension.

Alderman Oal ley 1 move to amend the report by adding the name of Mr. Windolph as a secunt member.

seventh member.
To the surprise of the Republicans and every-body else, Mr. deroloman declared this motion out of order, and told the cierk to call the roll of the adoption of the report, which now bore only the signature of Alderman Brown. It was stopted, by to 15, the division being on the same lines as before. Before the announcement could be made Alderman Olcott raised the point that the rules of the Board specified that the Committee on County Affairs should consist of five members. The report, therefore, made a change of the rules which could only be done after three days' notice. President Jeroloman said the point was not well taken; then he said it was. Alderman Oakley—Then what has become of the recort?

President Jeroloman—It has been ended. That's all.

Alderman Brown (addressing the Chair)—I'll be danned. the division being on the same

Alderman Oakley You voted against that re-

parcair, President, and now you make an arbitrary ruling in accordance with your vote. I til you plainly that your action is improper. President Jerotoman—The report is irregular, and the whole procedure was out of order.

Alderman Brown—That and the whole procedure was out of order.

Alderman Brown-That report has been adopted by the majority of this Board. Do I understand that you refuse to obey the majority? President Jeroloman-Yes.

Aiderman Brown-You ought to hitch up with Tom fieed. You're the oliggest stuff of a presiding officer I ever saw. The statement you just made is a false one. You knew about that report as well as I did. Your idea and mine was that the Reupublican side was to amend it.

Aiderman Brown pot yery red in the face.

Adderman Brown got very red in the face, Some of his colleagues prevailed upon him to desist, but Alderman Noonan (Tam.) jumjed up and demanded that the announcement of the vote be made. The President said he was out of order.

Alderman Noonan calso getting red in the face.—I appeal from your decision.

The President I will not entertain the appeal.
It's a diagree motion. The Fresident - [will not entertain the appeal. It is a diatory motion.

Alderman Noonan at the top of his voice)—
you've ruled me out of order and I appeal. I want that appeal put. If the majority is against me I'll sit down. Eve got a right to be heard here and I won't be hulldozed.

President The Sergeant-at-Arms will see that Alderman Noonan takes his seat.

The Sergeant approached timidly. Alderman Noonan continued to shout for his rights, but the President directed the clerk to read a report from the Legislative Committee and to call the roil on its adoption. Alderman Noonan finally got fired and sut down.

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The President then announced that the Committee on Rules would meet to-day and settle the matter. On Alderman Noonan's motion it was instructed to report at the next meeting.

TROMAS F. COMEFORD ARRESTED.

Had He Anything to Do with Hitting Po-licemus Dockerdroff with a Bat?

COLLEGE POINT, May 14.—Thomas F. Comeford, who is employed in the County Clerk's office, New York city, was arrested this aftertoon on a warrant charging him with assault. He was arraigned this evening and placed under \$2,000 bonds for examination. The complainant is Charles Dockerdroff, a policeman of los vinage Dockerdroif was seriously injured last duly at the picule of the Endeavor Social Club, held at Donnelly's Grove here, while attempting to arrest one of the members of that organization with the control of the members of that remping to arrest one of the members assault. Granization who was charged with assault. Theodier was hit on the head with a baseball bat and hit skull was fractured. He thinks Comeford knows something about the assault.

Hotel Keeper Geiger Pound Drowned.

The body of a man, which was later identified as that of Jacob Geiger, proprietor of the Hotel Helveria, at 16 Greenwich street, was found resterday morning in the bay at Quarantine, S. I. In the packet of the coat were found two letters. case addressed to the Cont were found two letters, case addressed to the Monroe Eckstein Brewery Company asking for an additional loan, and the other a letter of refusal, together with a statement of tenger's indebtedness to the concern. A small sum of money and naturalization papers were also found in the pockets.

Geker left home about eight weeks ago. He said he was going for a holiday, and nothing was heard of his whereabouts afterward.

HARRISON COMING NOW.

All the Presidential Candidates Turn Up Here to Prospect for the Vote of New York, Ex-President Benjamin Harrison, an hour after President Cleveland was inaugurated, on March 4, 1893, said, as he departed for his home in Indianapolis: "I am glad to leave magnifi-

nce behind me." The ex-President has been in New York half dozen times since his retirement, and he is expected to be here to-day, as he is booked to attend to-morrow the semi-centennial celebration of the New Jersey Historical Society. The ex-President is expected at the Fifth Avenue Hotel this afternoon.

New York city is a good place for Presidential candidates to come to, and after all of the philandering about the West, the Northwest, the South, and the Southwest, most of the plans of the candidates are formulated right here. The Hon. Thomas B. Reed has been in town for two days. He is booked for Speaker of the next House, and if he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for President not even his osest friend has heard him intimate it. His talk with Mr. Platt was on matters other than

those associated with this subject. The Hon, Joseph H. Mapley is now in Europe but before going he said that Mr. Reed would certainly be the candidate of his party next year. The Hon. Stephen B. Elkins returned from his Western trip yesterday and talked with his friends. He is the new Republican Senator from West Virginia, but he has a home in New York, an office at 1 Broadway, and he is nightly at the Union League Club. His friends say he is a candidate for the Presidency. In the latter days of Harrison's Administration he was Secretary of War, and a story got abroad yesterday to the effect that Mr. Elkins appeared on the scene just at this time in order to make things pleasant for Gen. Harrison.

Gen. James S. Clarkson has come on from Chicago, and he has had a talk with Mr. Platt. Gen. Clarkson, it is said, favors first Senator Allison and afterward Gov. McKinley.

It is a foregone conclusion that Gen. Harrison will announce on this Eastern visit that he is not a candidate. One month before he was nominated in Chicago in 1888 he said the same thing at a public banquet of the Ohio Society in New York city.

Senator Don Cameron has been in New York within the last few days discussing matters with Senator Jones and Mr. Platt. It is alleged that there is what is called a Quay-Clarkson combination against Harrison.

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there is what is called a Quay-Clarkson com-bination against Harrison. Senator Quay, like Gen. Clarkson, had vio-lent quarrels with President Harrison. Senator Quay was repeatedly snubbed by President Harrison in the disposition of the Pennsyl-vania patronage. It was said vesterilay that Senator Don Cameron is a candidate, and that there will be plenty of candidates whose cau-didacy will at the proper time be used only for the purpose of knocking out any candidate ob-jectionable to the majority sentiment in the Re-publican National Committee. publican National Committee. From all that can be learned, the Hon. Chaun-cey M. Depew and the Hon. Warner Miller are inclined to favor either McKinley or Harrison.

OUR SHORT-HANDED POLICE.

It's Going to Be Slow Work Filling Up with Conundrum Solvers.

Capt. Patrick H. Pickettof the West Thirtieth street station was called to Police Headquarters by President Roosevelt yesterday morning for consultation. It is understood that Pickett will be appointed on the Police Civil Service Board. Sergeant Oliver Tims of the City Hall station was also sent for by the President. President Roosevelt said that the Commissioners have great difficulty in getting the work of examining applicants for the police started.

Under the Bi-Partisan law," he said, "the applicants must be examined by a Board, concannot expect the Captains to do the clerical work connected with these examinations. They work connected with these examinations. They must have a secretary. It will take at least a month to train these officers in their duties as elvil service examiners, and it will be almost necessary to practically relieve them of all precinct and police duty for three months at least while these examinations of applicants are going on. We will have to detail some competent Sergeant to act as accretary to the examiners. At present I don't see how we can get an eligible list for patrolmen for two months at least. It will be four or five weeks before we can get started with the examinations. We will take up 1.800 men who have applied to the Civil Service Board within the past six months. Only 300 of these have passed a physical examination. The reat, 1.300, will have to be examined by the police surgeons, and then the entire ned by the police surgeons, and then the entire ,800 will be examined mentally. This means lot of work."

BROOKFIELD DELEGATES' CAUCUS. County Committee May Try to Consum The Brookfield delegates to the Republican County Committee held a caucus last night at the Windsor Hotel to prepare for the meeting of the committee which will be held to-morrow night. About fifty members were present, in cluding Gen. Anson G. McCook, Cornelius N. Bliss, and Gen. Sam Thomas, the caucus man

who presided. The caucus was secret. The chief topic discussed was the probability that the Lauterbach element in the County Committee will spring a resolution at the meeting on Thursday night condemning Mayor Strong for his removal of Police Commissioners Kerwin and Murray. The

agers of the faction, and John Sabine Smith,

on.

It may be that plans of an offensive character were adopted, but everybody present denied this with much vehemence.

There were no former Lauterbach delegates among those present, indicating that the power of patronage had not won any recruits to the Brookfield ranks.

ILLINOIS AND FREE SILVER.

A Plan to Capture the State Democracy

CHICAGO, May 14.-It is learned from an authoritative source that the lenders in the free coinage movement within the Democratic party of Illinois, who possess the machinery in the State and Cook county, intend to read out of the party every man who does not subscribe to the doctrine of the free coinage of silver. The plan is to be put into execution as soon as

the State Convention at Springfield has adopted a free silver platform and made it one of the cardinal principles of the party. The State and cardinal principles of the party. The State and Cook county Central Committees are to be reorganized on the lines indicated.

This will be done to give the silver Democrats exclusive control of the organization which will dictate at primaries and conventions in county, city, and State. It is also proposed to make sure of sending a solid free silver delegation to the next National Convention. The members of the Honest Money League are to be declared outside the pale.

CHIEF ENGINEER OF CONCOURSE. A New \$5.000 Place in the Annexed Dis-

triet Briggs May Get It. Mayor Strong has changed the civil service classification of the Engineering Bureau of the Department of Street Improvements for the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Instead of one chief engineer for the department as formerly, Commissioner Haffen may now appoint two, one to be known as Chief Engineer of Construction and the other as Chief Engineer of oncourse. Each will receive a salary of \$5,000. Concourse. Each will receive a salary of \$5,000. Louis A. Risse, the present chief engineer, will have one of the places, and thief engineer will have one of the places, and it is understood that Josiah A. Briggs, who used to be in charge of the engineering force in the annexed district when the Department of Parks had jurisdiction over that sections will be appointed to the other place. It is expected that the concourse to be built will cost fully \$30,000,000, and it may take nearly twenty years to build. The may have a people of the Engineer of Concourse will have a very desirable place.

Hurry Up if You'd Be a Magistrate.

Mayor Strong proposes to take home with him on Saturday of next week all the applications and endorsements of candidates for City Magistrate, and then to begin the work of sifting the names. He has until June 20 to make is selections, but it is believed he will name the his selections, but it is believed he will name the new Magistrates before three weeks more pass, so that they may organize, appoint their subor-dinates, and procure the supplies, and be ready to attend to the work of the courts on July 1, when they will take office.

Two new applicants were added to the Mayor's list yesterday, making the number 233. One of them is Henry P. McGown, who was for many years a Justice of the City Court.

Mrs. Schuyler Van Rensselner for School

Mrs. Schuyler Van Rensselser of 9 West Ninth street, the writer, has consented to act as a school inspector in the district comprising the Ninth and Fifteenth wards, and Mayor Strong said yesterday that he will appoint her and swear her in as soon as she cares to assume the duties of the office.

3D AVENUE ROAD AHEAD.

ALDERMEN ADVISED TO GIVE IT THE UPPER WEST SIDE ROUTES.

Six Aldermen of the Railroad Committee on Its Side-Only One for Metropolitate Traction-Lauterbach Wrote the Major ity Report-Traction People the Other The Railroad Committee of the Board of Alermen reported vesterday in favor of the Third Avenue Railroad Company as against the Metopolitan Traction Company in the fight that has been going on between them for a franchise over what is known as the St. Nicholas avenue and Kingsbridge road route. It covers eleven miles of streets on the upper west side, and the contest between the rival corporations has been going on for three years. The franchise is considered valuable, and there has always been talk of boodie in connection with it. A conclusion was very nearly reached just before the election last year. At that time the leaders of Tammany Hall, it is said, fearing the effect of the decision, whichever way it went, in view of the talk of boodle, used every effort to delay the

matter, and it was finally laid over. At that time each company accused the other of oneer dealings with members of the Board. and it was whispered that the franchise would be worth \$100,000 to the Third avenue road. When the matter was last up for settlement. "Billy" Moloney, who was the reading clerk of the boodle Board of Aldermen of 1884, was prominent about the City Hall, and it was said that he was active in advancing the interests of

one of the companies. Last January, when the new Board came in. the applications were renewed. The routes asked for were nearly the same. The Metropolitan Traction Company wanted to use St. Nicholas avenue above 145th street, which aroused the opposition of property owners along that thoroughfare. The Third avenue company pro-posed to connect the new line with its present Amsterdam avenue road at 162d street, thus avoiding the use of St. Nicholas avenue above

avoiding the use of St. Nicholas avenue above 145th street.
The report made yesterday recommended that the right be granted to the Third avenue company to build from 102d street north through the Kingsbridge road to the city line; from 125th street south through 5t. Nicholas and Manhattan avenues to 110th street; from the Kingsbridge road north through Riverdale avenue to the city line, and from Manhattan street through Eleventh avenue to 169th street.
The report was signed by Aldermen Parker, Goodman, Robinson, and Marshall, Republicans, and Brown and Murphy, Tammany, Aminority report was made by Alderman Hall, the lepublican Goo Goo from the Twenty-first district.

district.

The language of the majority report was somewhat remarkable. It began by saying that the preponderance of sentiment as shown by the public hearings, was with the Metropolitan Traction Company in a degree that was "marked and poteworthy."

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"With due and proper regard," it went on, "for the expressed views of those who appeared before us, and with a sense of appreciation of the demands of the residents, property owners, &c., of the territory through which the proposed road is to be operated, we feel that it would be for the greatest good of the largest number to give the grant to the Third avenue company. It does not seem just to the people of the city at large to consider only the wishes of those directly interested in the growth of the locality in and through which the new line of street surface railroad is to traverse."

As reasons for the committee's action, the report said that by the Third avenue route a much larger number of people would be able to reach the upper west side than by any other; that the Third avenue company had occupied the territory for years with its cable road and had helped to build up that part of the city; that it was the first to apply for the franchise, and that at the sale by the Comptroller, competition would be more fair if the franchise were granted in the first instance to the Third avenue company, owing to the mode of dividing the receipts. It was provided in the report that the company to which the franchise is ultimately awarded must carry passengers over the entire route for one fare, must use fenders, and must not use the overhead trolley south of 162d atreet, or for more than the years north of that street.

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As soon as the report had been read, Alder-As soon as the report had been read, Alderman Brown moved its adoption at once. Alderman Ware said that any member who tried to rush through a matter of such importance "would bear watching." Alderman Goodman moved to lay the report over for a week and have it printed in the mean time. Alderman Hall said that the majority had put in a report "prepared by the paid attorney of the Third avenue company."

"How about your minority report?" asked Alderman Brown. "Wasn't that prepared by the traction people?"

"How about your minority reports Alderman Brown. "Wasn't that prepared by the traction people?"
Alderman Hall admitted that it was, and all the members gave him the laugh. After his report had been read, the matter was laid over till next Tuesday. "The "paid attorney" referred to by Alderman Hall is Edward Lauterbach, President of the Republican County Committee. next Tuesday. The path to by Alderman Hall is Edward Lauterbach, President of the Republican County Committee. The report of the Rapid Transit Commission setting forth the plans recently adopted was received and laid over for a week. When it is taken up it will probably be referred to a committee, which will hold a public hearing in order that the Board may get an idea of the public sentiment regarding the plan.

ROW IN A COLORED CHURCH.

Two Nets of Trustees Had a Meeting; Then There Was Trouble.

ORANGE, May 14.—There was a meeting of trustees at the Oakwood Avenue Colored Bantist Church to-night, which wound up in a row that was settled only when a policeman took a hand. The trouble was the result of a consolidation made some time ago between the Second and Ebenezer Baptist churches. The Second Church had bought and partly

paid for the Oakwood avenue property before the union took place. When it came to paying the balance of the money a split occurred in the from the old Second Church congregation. They from the old Second Church congregation. They elected a Board of Trustees on their own account. and refused to recognize the union church's set of officers, and declared their intention of takof officers, and declared their intention of takling possession of the property.

Both Hoards of Trustees had called meetings
for to-night, to be held in the Oakwood Avenue
Church. Trouble was expected, and a policeman was sent to watch the church. Before
the meeting began several lights occurred, one
deacon being struck by an excited elder.

The meeting was neld behind locked doors,
Finally a row began, in which one man, who
said he was a deacon, was put out bodily. Several chairs were broken, and a number of women joined in the rumpus. Then some one
hurst open the front door and the policeman
went into the church and stopped the meeting.

JERSEY CITY DOG LICENSES.

The Corporation Counsel Decides that the

Board of Health Shall Collect Them. Corporation Counsel Blair of Jersey City gave an opinion yesterday in the question of which department of the city Government, the Board of Health or the Board of Aldermen, has the legal right to collect the dog tax. Health In-spector Benjamin has been collecting the tax for two years. Recently the Board of Alder-

for two years. Recently the Board of Aldermen adopted a resolution, based on a law passed in 1893, requiring owners of dogs to pay the license fee to the City Clerk. This caused a conflict of authority, and the question was referred to the Corporation Connect.

Mr. Blair practically decides that while the law gives the Aldermen the right to impose the tax, they cannot authorize the City Clerk to collect it. He says that under the law the tax shall be assessed and collected at the same time and in the same manner as other taxes are assessed and collected. That means that the Tax Commissioners must assess the tax and the City Collector must collect it.

Behlis, May 14.-The Emperor has accepted the resignation of Baron von Goltz, Admiral Commanding-in-Chief of the German navy. Admiral Knorr, commanding the Haltic naval station at Kiel, has been appointed to succeed Admiral von Goltz.

No Equality for the Irreligious, BUDAPEST, May 14.- The House of Magnates to-day, for the third time, rejected, by a vote of 119 to 115, the section of the Ecclesiastical bill granting equal rights to persons who do not profess religion.

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LORDS IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS Sir William Harcourt Says They Have No

Bights to Sents in That Body. LONDON, May 14.-The motion introduced in the House of Commons to-day by Sir William Harcourt in regard to the status of Viscount Wolmer took the technical form of a resolution to appoint a committee to inquire whether Viscount Wolmer had succeeded to the Earldom

Mr. Chamberlain offered an 'amendment that the committee, if appointed, also consider the case of Sir James Carmichael, who claimed the Inglisherry and Nemphlar, Lord Carmichael of armichael, yet held a seat in the House of

Carmichael, yet held a seat in the House of Commons.

Sir William Harcourt declined to involve the committee in the consideration of separate questions. A seat held by the heir of a peer, he said, was legally vacated upon the death of the peer. The only question, therefore, which could be referred to a committee was embodied in the motion he had just submitted.

Mr. George N. Curzon said that the late Earl of Selborne had encouraged Viscount Wolmer, his son, to take the step he was now taking.

Mr. Labouchere ridiculed the course of Mr. hamberlain in dragging the matter of a claim to a dormant peerage into this question. He himself, he said, had recently received a letter from a person offering for the sum of ten guineas to prove that he (Labouchere) was a member of the royal family. [Laughter,] That being so, the question arose, according to Mr. Chamberlain's contention, whether he had a right to sit in the House of Commons. The whole debate, he thought, was a piece of absurdity, and a writusth to he moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the head a right to such to he moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the to he moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the to he moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without delay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without the lay declaring Viscourt in the top the moved without the work to the moved to the moved to the moved to the moved to the m nain's contention, whether he had a right to sit in the House of Commons. The whole debate, he thought, was a piece of absurdity, and a writ ought to be moved without delay declaring Vis-count Wolmer's seat vacant. The motion offered by Sir William Harcourt was carried by a vote of 330 to 143.

JAPAN'S LIBERALITY.

It Is Said She Agreed to Give Up Line

LONDON, May 14. - The Graphic to-morrow will print a Shanghai despatch saving it is announced in Pekin that Japan consented to the retrocession of the Liao-Tong peninsula to China without demanding an equivalent, and that her liberal conduct in this matter is warmly praised. The despatch also says that Russia, rance, and Germany have made a joint offer to negotiate a loan to enable China to pay the

to negotiate a loan to enable China to pay the war indemnity.

The News to-morrow will print a despatch from its Berlin correspondent saying that St. Petersburg advices are that Russia is considering an offer from China to allow the Siberian Railway to be continued through Manchuria and Corea to Port Lazareff, this line to be connected by another with Port Arther. Russia, the despatch adds, would thus become master of East Asia.

BERLIN, May 14.—The Frankfurter Zeitung has a St. Petersburg despatch saying that, notwithstanding the pressure brought to bear by the new triple alliance, Japan persists in declining to fix a date for the evacuation of the Chinese mainland.

nese mainland.

Japan, the despatch says, maintains her right to hold Port Arthur until half of the war indemnity shall have been paid, and to retain possession of Wel-Hai-Wel until the payment of the whole indemnity shall have been completed. Japan also declines to evacuate Corea until affairs there are settled and the independence of the country secured.

REFORMS IN ARMENIA.

The Powers Submit to the Porte a Scheme

LONDON, May 14.- A despatch to the Times from Constantinople says the powers have submitted to the Porte a scheme of reforms in Armenia which includes the appointment of Christians as public officials and gives the powernors if they shall not seem satisfactory. The plan also provides that a High Commissioner, who shall not be a European, shall supervise the work of putting the reforms into effect, and shall remain in office until the reforms are t is understood that the Porte will submit the

It is understood that the Porte will submit the scheme to an examining oinmission presided over by Turkhan Pasha.

The selection of the High Commissioner is to be subject to the approval of the Powers, and a Commission, composed of Mussulmans and Christians, is to supervise the administration of affairs in the vilayets. The scheme further provides that to the inhabitants of Sassoun shall be paid the amount of their losses, and that the Kurds shall be disarmed. The Powers base their demands upon the proven had administration and the generally unsatisfactory condition of affairs in the Asiatic provinces of Turkey.

A despatch from Constantinople says that a number of foreign delegates who have returned to Moosh from Gheily Goozan, in Armenia, report that they opened the burial pits at that place and found only a few bodies. It was evident, they report, that the pits had been opened prior to their arrival, and most of the bodies removed.

PLOTTED AGAINST COREA.

A Nephew of the King Sentenced to Im-

LONDON, May 14 .- A despatch to the Globe from Seoul says that Li Yo Shun, formerly Corean Minister to Japan, has been sentenced to imprisonment for life and five other officials have been condemned to death upon charges of murder and treason. Washington, May 14.—The cablegram from

Seoul announcing the life sentence imposed on Li Yo Shun undoubtedly refers to Li Shun Youf Li Yo Shun undoubtedly refers to Li Shun Your who was the Corean Minister to Japan, and returned to Seoul from his post early in April, bringing with him so many Japanese attendants as to excite the suspicions of his Government, who kept him under surveillance. He resigned his position on April 17, and the following day was arrested as the chief plotter of a formidable conspiracy against the King. Li Shun You is the grandson of Tai Won Kun, the aged father of the reigning King. Tai Won Kun made strenous efforts to obtain Li Shun You's release, but without success, the evidence of his treason being considered unimpeachable by the Government. His trial commenced on April 22. ment. His trial commenced on April 22.

The French Budget.

Paris, May 14.-The Chamber of Deputies opened its session to-day without especial incident. The budget was laid upon the table of the Chamber by M. Ribot, Premier and Minister of

The budget estimates put the revenue at 3,392,000,000 france and the expenditures at 3,392,000,000 francs and the expenditures at 3,448,000,000 francs. It is proposed to cover the deficit by a reform of the succession duties, which will yield 25,000,000 francs; an increase of the stamp duties on foreign companies' bonds, bringing 14,000,000; a tax on servants, excepting farms and factories, 10,000,000; Algerian customs, assimilated with the French, 4,000,000; a new tax on playing cards, 1,200,000,000, and an increased horse and carriage tax, 1,000,000. This will leave unmet 80,000 francs of the deficit. of the deficit.

A Conservative Victory. LONDON, May 14. A Parliamentary election

was held to-day in the Walworth division of Newington to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. William Saunders. The result of the poll was as follows: Bailey (Conservative), 2,776; Reade (Liberal), 2,103; Lausburg (So-clalist), 347. At the last previous election Mr. Saunders, who stood as a Home Ruler, was re-turned by a vote of 2,514, against 2,218 for Mr. Isaacs, his Conservative opponent.

Extreme Hot Weather in England. LONDON, May 14 .- One death from the effects of sunstroke occurred yesterday in Highgate Woods, where a man was overcome by the extreme heat. The 4,000 troops which paraded at Portsmouth to-day suffered greatly from the intense heat, and ten of them were prostrated by sunstroke and sent to the hospital.

SOUTH CAROLINA'S PROTEST

FOICED BY THE GOVERNOR IN A PROCLAMATION.

Judge Goft's Decision Benounced as a Wanton Invasion of the People's Eights-Carolinians," Says Governor Evans, COLUMBIA, S. C., May 14.—The leaders of the clitical party in power, including Tillman, rby, and McLaurin, are gathering here to confer regarding their course in the coming election under Judge Goff's recent decision requir-

ing an open ballot. The Governor to-day issued a proclamation reciting at length the struggles of South Carolina for white supremacy during and after the reconstruction period, and asserting, in accord with decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, he says, the doctrine of State sovereignty within the limits prescribed in the Constitution as Interpreted in the South. The proclamation declares South Carolina's lovalty and respect for the Constitution and courts of the United States, but adds: "When the Judges of those courts wantonly invade and trample under foot the recognized rights of our people guaranteed by the Federal

selves and maintain their sovereignty and independence. "This they have ever done and will continue to do and will resist with all the means in their power usurpation and tyranny of partisan politicians in high places who disgrace the judicial

Constitution, they have a right to assert them-

Not desiring to resort to arms to thwart "conspirators who are plotting to overthrow our liberties," the Governor says, the people rely on the sympathy and moral support of good government and States rights throughout the

ernment and States rights throughout the Union.

The proclamation denounces the Judges who have decided against the Registration and Election laws and those in high office who support the decision. It ends as follows:

"A crisis confronts us, an issue has been thrust upon us, without our will or consent, at a time when peace was lovering over the State. South Carolina is enjoying an era of industrial improvement. Factories are being built in greater number than elsewhere in the South. The credit of the State ranks higher than ever in its history, our bonds not being purchasable at a premium of less than ten per cent. The march of progess is about to be stopped; the black pail of negro domination hovers over us; we must meet the issue like South Carolinians.

"There are only two flags, the white and the black, Under which will you enist? The one, the white, is the peaceful flag of Anglo-Saxon civilization and progress. The other is the black flag of the debased and ignorant African, with the white traitors who are seeking to marshal the negroes in order to gain political power? It is fortunate that the issues come at this time when a constitution is to be made guaranteeing white supremacy once and forever.

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"The constitutional convention must be controlled by white men, not white men with black hearts, not negroes. The world must be shown that we are capable of governing ourseives and that constitution or no constitution, law or no law, court or no court, the intelligent white men of South Carolina intend to govern her.

"Let the man who undertakes to lead the ignorant blacks against you suffer as he did in 1870, and remember that eternal vigilance is the price of liberty.

"I will not call the Legislature together. They can do nothing. An appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court of the United States, but under the red tape and technicalities surrounding it a decision cannot be had in time to affect the election of delegates.

"It must be a free, onen fight. I appeal to the sovereign people of South Carolina, the wisest and the safest and purest tribunal, to protect their homes and liberties. They have never failed to respond to duty. The government of the people must and shall be perpectuated, and we are ready to lead the fight under the white man's flag."

BICYCLE TRACK ON THE ROOF. Madison Square Garden Directors Contem-

plating This Enterprise. The annual meeting of the stockholders of he Madison Square Garden was held yesterday. The annual report showed that the Garden had come out \$36,000 better during the year just ended than it did during the preceding twelve months. There was no dividend, but the revenue paid the interest on the bonds, as well as the other running expenses. The old Board of Sturgis, J. Pierpont Morgan, Charles Lanier, James T. Woedward, W. F. Wharton, H. I. Nicholas, H. H. Hollister, Herman Oelrichs, Stanford White, D. O. Mills, and Adolf Laden-

urg. President Sturgis said after the meeting that President Sturgls said after the meeting that among the propositions under consideration by the directors is the building of a bicycle track, twenty-five feet wide and one-lifth of a mile long, around the roof of the Garden. The track, if built, will be enclosed in glass. The roof garden will be opened for its regular season on the first Monday in June. There will be no flower show this year, but the dates for horse shows, fairs, and other entertainments will take up the Garden until May. Industrial exhibitions will be esucclally encouraged by the management in especially encouraged by the management in

BIRMINGHAM'S BICYCLE BROKEN. The Express Driver Responsible for the

Accident Held for Trini. J. J. Birmingham is a real estate agent, who lives at 280 Ninth avenue. He is too heavy for health, and rides a bicycle to reduce his weight. He gets up every morning at 4:30 o'clock and takes a two-hours' spin on his wheel. He has been doing this for the past two months. terday morning, while returning from his morning ride, he met with an accident at Twentysixth street and Seventh avenue. In turning the corner he got in between a coal cart and an sixth street and Seventh avenue. In turning the corner he got in between a coal cart and an express wagon. The pole of the express wagon, which was driven by George Wagner of 221 West Seventy-first street, knocked Birmingham off his wheel. Wagner pulled his horses up, but not before they had ruined Birmingham's leyele. Policeman Bannon of the West Twentieth

Policeman Bannon of the West Twentieth street station, who saw the accident, arrested the driver of the express wagon. Birmingham had several cuts on his face dressed at the station house. In Jefferson Market Court yesterday morning Wagner was held for trial in Special Sessions. A Bicyclist Thrown From His Wheel, YONKERS, May 14.-Wilbur Benjamin of 66 Bucpa Vista avenue, a clerk in the Grand Central station in New York, while racing on a bicycle last night with Bert Ball, ran into a bicycle which was lying in the street, and was thrown. He broke a shoulder blade, and was seriously injured internally.

Eighty Years Old, and Sued for Divorce. Franzika Stengel, 70 years old, has begun a suit against her husband, Peter, 80 years old, in the City Court in Brooklyn for an absolute di-vorce. She names Emma Stengel, the thirty-year-old widow of the defendant's deceased son, as co-respondent.

Notes of Foreign Happenings.

The Pope yesterday gave audience to the atholic Bishop of the diocese of Syracuse, Harriet Jay, the author and actress, sister-in-law of Mr. Robert Buchanan, has been declared a bankrupt in London.

Lord Rosebery embarked on board the En-chantress at Devonport yesterday for a cruise through the Channel. Miss Roosevelt, daughter of Mr. J. R. Roosevelt, Secretary of the United States Embassy in London, gave a reception yesterday. The Governor of Hong Kong telegraphs that the plague has ceased, and that there are now no patients in the Hong Kong hospitals.

The new Theatre Adrian and four adjoining mansions in Rome were burned yesterday. The police believe the buildings were fired by Auarchists. Mr. John E. Risley, United States Minister to be mark, accompanied by Misses Herbert and ordines, paid a visit to the House of Commons esterday.

At the Queen's drawing room to-day Ambassa-lor Bayard will present Mrs. Pinchot, Miss Tementine Furniss Whitehouse and Miss Lily Whitehouse, all of New York. Mendal Howard, who was recently arrested as

a counterfeiter, was again arraigned in the Bow street police court London, yesterday, when an official of the Bank of France testified to the uses to which enlarged negatives are put in forging bank notes. Howard was remanded for further examination.

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" HOWELL & CO." VANISH.

Adopted the Name of a Well-known First of Brokers and Bought Things on Credit. The offices of Howell & Co. in the Traders' Exchange building at 80 and 82 Pine street have been closed by the Marshal on attachments for about \$400 obtained by S. G. Patterson for Western desk manufacturers. Deputy Sheriff Carraher has also received an attachment against the concern for \$163 in favor of the Shelbyville Lounge and Desk Company of Shelbyville, Ind., for eight oak desks which were sold in February last. The partners in Howell & Co. are said to be William and Edna Howell. The offices were opened in January last, ostensibly to do a stock brokerage business, and Mr. Patterson said yesterday that the Howells bought all sorts of goods, such as bicycles, furniture, carpets, and cigars, and had no doubt got credit on the strength of the name of Howell & Co., the well-known bankers and brokers of New street. Efforts to reach Mr. Howell had been fruitiess, and Mr. Patterson did not know where he was, but it was said that he lived somewhere in New Jersey. Mr. Patterson said that under his attachments the Marshal had seized the office furniture of three rooms, which included nine roll-top desks. nineteen chairs, and a safe. It was said that E. McLoughlin held a mortgage of \$500 on the furniture, but Mr. Patterson had not found him.

It is said that process servers have been watching during the past two weeks to serve summons on Howell. One, it was said, had a claim of \$800 for carpets, another for cigars, and others for bicycles and office furniture. Two clerks composed the office force, and inquirers were generally told that Mr. Howell was not in, but would be in soon. Inquires have been made from a dozen Western cities regarding the firm, which had no rating at Bradstreet's. ostensibly to do a stock brokerage business, and

SMILOWITZ MAY DIE.

The Soda Water Stand Keeper Struck While Jacob Smilowitz, who keeps a soda water stand at Columbia and Rivington streets. erick Smith of 42 Sheriff street came along, Smith was drunk, and as he passed the stand he lurched against it, to the damage of the cakes and candles which were displayed upon it. When Smilowitz remonstrated with Smith the drunker man pulled a small hatchet from his hip pocket and struck the stand keeper a blow on the right side of the head.

side of the head,
Smilowitz fell to the ground, and his assailant
ran away. The injured man was sent to Bellevue Hospital in an ambulance. Later Smith
was tocked up. It was thought at first that
Smilowitz was not badly injured, but, upon examination at Bellevue, the doctors found that
his skull was fractured and that he would probably die.

ably die.
They determined to trepan the skull, and they notified the Coroners' office to take Smilowitz's anto-mortem statement before the operation was performed.
To Coroner Fitzpatrick the injured man said that Smith assaulted him without provocation. The latter was still intoxicated when he was arrested, and later in the day when he was sober he was arraigned in the Essex Market Police Court. He was committed to await the result of Smilowitz's injuries.

N. G. S. N. J. IN CAMP.

New Arrangements for the Annual Outing at Scagirt. A change will be made this summer in the arrangements for the encampment of the First Brigade, N. G. S. N. J. at Seagirt. The entire brigade will not go into camp at the same time. as has been the custom heretofore. This is a change that has been advocated by Brig.-Gen. Wanser, and it was approved yesterday by Gov. Werts. It is said that the State will save \$18,-

000 by the new arrangement. There are three regiments in the brigade, the First of Newark, the Second of Paterson, and the Fourth of Jersey City. The New York plan of having only one regiment at a time in camp has been adopted. The Fourth Regiment will go into camp on July 20 and remain a week. It will be followed in turn by the First and the Second, each of which will remain a week. Each regiment will have target practice during its week of the encampment. Heretofore the practice has been for the brigade to continue the target practice from the time of the encampment to October, and the State had to pay all the extra transportation.

DR. SCHWING SET FREE. He Killed Dr. Hiriart, Who Had Led Mrs.

Schwing Astray. NEW ORLEANS, May 14. The case of Dr. S. P. schwing, who a few days ago killed Dr. Emile Hiriart for leading Mrs. Schwing astray, was tried to-day before Recorder Whitaker, Schwing tried to-day before Recorder Whitaker, schwing and his wife had been charged with conspiring to lead Hirinst into a trap, but no attempt was made to prove this to-day.

The evidence showed that Hiriart and Schwing fired at each other, but who fired first could not be learned. After hearing the evidence, Judge Whitaker declared there was nothing against Dr. Schwing and ordered that he be released. The decision was greeted by the audience with lond appliance.

Union Seminary's Graduates Number 34. The fifty-ninth commencement of the Unio Theological Seminary was celebrated last night in the Adams chapel. Friends of the thirtyfour graduates filled the chanel during the exercises. On the platform were the Rev. Dr. Thomas S. Hastings, President of the seminary and the other members of the faculty. Nearest to Dr. Hastings were the Rev. Dr. Briggs, Professor of Biblical Theology, and Dr. Charles Butler, the aged President of the Board of Directors. Addresses were made by members of the Addresses were made by members of the graduating class as follows: "The Christian Law of Brotherhood," by Thomas Coyle: "Present Day Opportunities in the Ministry," by W. P. Greene; "The Witness of the Ministry," by R. F. Humphries," and "Theology and Poetry," by J. A. Meintosh.

The diplomas were presented to the graduates by Dr. Butler. Dr. Hastings made an address to them.

Woman's Missionary Society in Convention The Woman's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church of North America began its twelfth anniversary meeting last night in the Summit Avenue United Pres hast night in the Summit Avenue United Pres-byterian Church in Jersey City. An address of welcome was made by Mrs, Arney S. Biddle, wife of the pastor of the Summit Avenue Church. Mrs. J. J. Andrews of New York pre-sided. The principal discourse was delivered by Mrs. W. W. Barr of Philadelphia, President of the General Missionary Society. The Con-vention will continue until Thursday.

Talk Again of Inspector Williams Retiring The old rumor that Inspector Williams intended retiring from the police force was re vived yesterday and created a lot of talk around Headquarters. The Inspector is away on a ten-day leave of absence fi-hing. His wife said she didn't know anything about any inten-tion or any desire the Inspector had to leave the force. Chief Clerk Kipp said that no application for retirement had been made by the Inspector.

A Dinner to President Swanstrom. J. Edward Swanstrom, President of the Brook lyn Board of Education, was the guest of honor ast night at a complimentary dinner at the Hamilton Club given by his associates in the Board. Ex-Congressman Joseph C. Hendrix, who was formerly President of the Board, made an address on "Citizenship and the Schools."

Capt, Coleman's Company, A number of the former members of Con

pany E of the Sixty-ninth Regiment met at 11 Third avenue last night upon the invitation of Capt. Hugh Coleman to take steps for petition-ing the Governor to form them into a regular company of the battalion. The signatures of sixty men, it is said, were obtained. HOEBER'S CORPUS, TAMSEN.

TO SHOW CAUSE TO-DAY WHY HE SHOULD NOT BE PUNISHED.

Hoeber Says the Morgue's the Only Jall He's Got to Put a Prisoner In-Neglect of the Criminal Courts by the Sheriff, Sheriff Tamsen and Prison Guard John Illingworth will appear before Justice Barrett in the Over and Terminer at 11 o'clock this morning explain if they can the disobedience of the Court's mandate committing Inspector Molaughlin to the Tombs on Saturday morning last while the jury was considering his case. The order to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt was served on the Sheriff and his man yesterday by Assistant Dis-

latter said : "I'm very glad to make your acquaintance." "You don't mean that," said Mr. McIntyre. Well, I would be under different circum-

trict Attorney McIntyre in person. When Mr. McIntyre was introduced to Mr. Tamsen the

ances," said Tamsen. The boys are calling the Sheriff "Hoeber's 'orpus" now, in view of the Coroner's possible duties in the case. Coroner Hocher is much exercised over the matter. He said vesterday: "I have been served with an order to be at the aquest in court to-morrow morning in case my services are needed. Herr Tamsen is an old friend of mine, but if it should happen that I am required to take him into custody I shall do my duty. I cannot take him to Ludlow street iail, for then he would be in custody of himself, and not in charge of the Coroner. The only

place the Coroner has charge of is the Morgue.

I would not want to take him there, although I

see by the papers that he has a knowledge of the dead languages." Assistant District Attorney McIntyre said yesterday that if Sheriff Tamsen proved that his absence from town on Saturday was absolutely necessary and precluded the possibility of his

absence from town on Saturday was absolutely necessary and precluded the possibility of his presence here, and that he was not responsible, then he would proceed against Under Sheriff in Tamsen's absence. Sherman was counsel to the Garoo Committee of Ten, who preferred charges against the District Attorney last December and tried to get the Governor to remove Col. Fellows for neglect of duty.

"Ever since Sheriff Tamsen took office his functions with regard to the criminal courts have been discharged in an outrageous manner," said Mr. McIntyre. "I have been in daily attendance in the different courts in the Criminal Courts building since Jan. I and have never seen Under Sheriff Sherman, In the building once, It has been the custom in previous administrations in the Sheriff's office for the Sheriff of under sheriff to appear in court at the conclusion of every trial of importance and take the commitment of the defendant from the Judge and execute it in person. It was the case in the Boodle Aldermen trials when the Sheriff attended daily, and you will remember that the Sheriff of Kings county took charge of John V. McKane when ho was convicted and even took him to Sing Sing. The prisoners in former important trials were usually taken to the Sheriff's office and thence to their destination, by the Sheriff himself, Sheriff Gorman conducted his office in this manner."

namer.
"Hingworth was not even a deputy sheriff, "Illingworth was not even a deputy sheriff, and it appears to me that a court of the dignity of the Court of Oyer and Terminer should be graced by the presence of the Sheriff on such an important occasion as this, or at least an under sheriff. If a Sheriff can attend in person in a case where a replevin or attachment is served, and where he gets a commission, I am sure he ought to give his personal attention to a case where the lives and homes of the citizens are at stake in case a convicted murderer or highwayman escapes."

Ex-Police Commissioner Charles F, MacLean, who is now counsel to Sheriff Tamsen, called or Mr. McIntyre yesterday and procured a copy of the charges against Tamsen.

HELEN DAUVRAY'S HOTEL BILL. Ex-Husband Ward Doesn't Have to Pay It

A suit brought by the Vendome Hotel Com-pany against John M. Ward, the ex-baseball player, to collect a hotel bill of \$260.61, was dismissed by Judge Ehrlich in Part III. of the City Court yesterday. It was a bill incurred by Helen Dauvray, the actress, who was at that wife. They had separated, and Miss Dauvray lived at the hotel from Oct. 9 to In his answer Mr. Ward set up that at the

time the hotel bill was incurred he was, by agreement with his wife, living apart from her, and under the articles of separation was Ipaying her \$150 a month, and could not in addition be liable for her personal debts.

When the case was called yesterday aftermoon there were in the courtroom besides A. H. Hummsl and Lawyer May, for the plaintiffs, Mr. Ward, Miss Dauvray, and the former's counsel, Judee Howland. Mr. Ward and Miss Dauvray greeted each another pleasantly, and chatted together until the case was called. They also left the court room together when the plaintiff let the case go by default. In the corridor later Mr. Hummel and Mr. Ward exchanged some remarks on the subject.

"If I had been asked to pay a bill incurred by my wife, even if we had been afterward divorced, chivalry would prompt me to settle up without any words about it," said Mr. Hummel. "I don't know what you would do, Mr. Hummel." replied Mr. Ward, "bu. I don't see the point in paying bills for which one is in no way liable, or in paying a bill twice."

The hotel will sue Miss Dauvray now. and under the articles of separation was [paying

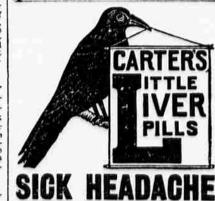
Cutter Silk Company's Affairs, A telegram received from Bethlehem, Pa., says that George R. Booth and Fannie C. Sackett have applied for a receiver for the Cutter Silk Manufacturing Company, whose factory is at Bethlehem and office at 44 East Fourteenth street, this city. Friends of the company said yesterday that the parties mentioned are two dissatisfied stockholders who hold about \$2.000 each of stock out of \$500,000; that the company has ample assets to cover all that the company has ample assets to cover all liabilities: that it is paying its bills right along, and intends to enlarge its facilities for business, John D. Cutter, the veteran silk manufacturer, is the President. It was said that he and Vice. President Stevens had gone to Bethlehem yesterday in the company's interest.

Schefer, Schramo & Hanel are the selling agents for the company. They say they have ever \$250,000 of the company's manufactured goods, on which they have made advances, but the company has a large equity therein. The only payments coming due are the last of the extension notes for \$25,000 given in 1893, which mature soon, and the company has money to meet them.

A Boy Falls Down au Elevator Shaft. Frank Carrick, a 15-year-old boy employed in the Riley-Klotz Manufacturing Company's factory, on Mulberry street, Newark, fell through the elevator opening on the fourth floor yesterday to the elevator, which was at the second floor. He was picked up unconscious and taken to St. Michael's Hospital. In falling he struck the iron bar across the top of the elevator. He balanced there a second and then fell to the floor. He remained unconscious for several hours, and it is believed he will die.

Brooklyn Children Mortally Hurt. Three-year-old Charles Butt fell from the hird story window of his home, at 102 Clifton place. Brooklyn, yesterday morning, and received a fracture of the skull and other injuries. The child was still alive at the Cumberland Street Hospital last night, but the doctors said he could not recover.

Five-year-old William Lietman fell into a boller of hot water at his home, 515 Stone avenue, last night, and was fatally scalded.



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